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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under
37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

2386.10100

First Named Inventor or
Application Identifier

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EL552288572US

Title of
Invention

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED DELIVERY OF CONTENT IN A
COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK**

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 16]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 7]
 - ☐ Formal ☒ Informal
 - ☐ Fig. of the Drawings for Publication ☐
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration/POA [Total Pages 2]
 - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
[NOTE Box 5 below]
 - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting
inventor(s) named in the prior
application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2)
and 1.33(b).
5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is
considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying
application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
 - b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
[] Pages
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

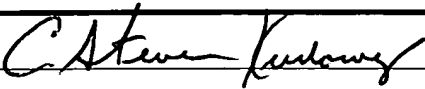
ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
☒ Assignee - Cisco Technology, Inc.
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS
Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☐ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior application,
Statement(s) status still proper and desired
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☒ Nonpublication Request (check parent application)
17. ☐ Other: _____

18. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:
☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:
 Prior application information: Examiner: Group Art Unit:


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CLAIM CALCULATION (includes any preliminary amendment)					
CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS <small>(37 CFR 1.16(c) or (j))</small>	15 - 20* =		x \$ 18 =	\$ 0
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS <small>(37 CFR 1.16(b) or (i))</small>	5 - 3** =	2	x \$ 80 =	\$ 160
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ 270 =	\$
				BASIC FEE <small>(37 CFR 1.16(a) or (h))</small>	\$ 710
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 870
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) =				\$
	TOTAL =				\$ 870
	Surcharge - Late Filing of Declaration or Filing Fees (37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)) =				\$
	Petition for Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17) =				\$
	Assignment Recordation Fee = <small>(only when filed with application)</small>				\$ 40
	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent ** Reissue independent claims over original patent				TOTAL = \$ 910

1. Small entity status:

a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.

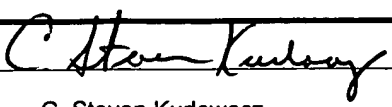
b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.

c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.

2. ☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge deposit account number 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

3. ☒ A check is enclosed for \$910.00. ☐ Please charge \$[] to Deposit Account No. 08-0380.

4. ☐ Other: _____

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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)	First Named Inventor	Charles K. Fadel
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Title of Invention	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED DELIVERY OF CONTENT IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK	

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a)(3), I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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